

April, 1, 2015

Dr. Roger Marcum  
Chairman, Kentucky Board of Education

Dear Dr. Marcum,

This letter is to notify you of my decision to retire on August 31, 2015. I am humbled and very proud to end my forty-three years in public education by serving the Commonwealth of Kentucky as Commissioner of Education. For the last six years, it has been my honor to work with an outstanding and supportive Governor, a committed State Board of Education, a high performing Department of Education staff, and passionate educators across the Commonwealth. Thank you for allowing me to serve the children of this great state. Best wishes to you and to the Board as you begin your search for a new Commissioner.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Terry K. Holliday". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping initial "T" and "H".

Terry K. Holliday, PhD.